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Applicant : Okamoto KAZUYOSHI
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed August 25, 2006, the time for reply having been extended until December 25, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.